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From: Alissa Conover [cyandragonfly@gmail.com]
Sent: Sunday, September 27, 2009 7:33 PM
To: Kevin.martin@fcc.gov; Jonathan Adelstein; Robert McDowell; Michael Copps; Deborah.Tate@fcc.gov
Subject: TRS Fund: Drastic VRS Rate Cuts

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